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NEBRASKA VR LAUNCHES WEBSITE FOR BUSINESSES LOOKING FOR SKILLED WORKERS

Nebraska VR has launched a website to help businesses find skilled, qualified job applicants and to provide new employment opportunities for people with disabilities.

The website is available at www.vr.nebraska.gov/business.

"The website reflects the progressive approach we take in building relationships with businesses to place clients of Nebraska VR," said Jim Coyle, director of employment, Nebraska VR. "With unemployment rates so low, our untapped resource of prescreened clients can be invaluable to employers. Plus, we are here to support the employer and employee after the hire to build a successful relationship for both the individual and business." Nebraska's unemployment rate was 3.5 percent in January.

Coyle said the website outlines the services available to businesses partnering with Nebraska VR to seek and hire people with disabilities as well as comments from businesses that have found Nebraska VR to be an appropriate and effective service. The website also provides local contact information and answers to frequently asked questions to help introduce businesses to Nebraska VR resources.

Additional information about Nebraska VR is available at www.vr.nebraska.gov.